Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 03 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Sunday 04 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Saturday 03 Oct 2020 at 03:35

Confidence: Medium confidence around details of rainfall and cloud amounts over the next 5 days. High confidence for a wet, cold and windy Saturday.

Headline for Saturday 03 Oct 2020: Rain all day, heavy for most of the time, with poor visibility, and gales over the peaks and exposed ridges. Feeling cold.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 03 Oct 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
High Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
40%	70%	80%	90%	90%	90%

Forecast for Saturday 03 Oct 2020

Weather: Rain all day, heavy for most of the time, but especially becoming relentless this afternoon and evening. Flooding of streams, footpaths and some access roads is likely. Also feeling cold with the rain, particularly at height.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 10% or less, persistent hill fog throughout today. Cloud bases are likely to be around 4-500m.

Visibility: Moderate or poor in the valleys, otherwise poor or very poor.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	22/27 N	20/26 N	19/26 N	21/28 NW	24/33 NW	22/31 NW	24/34 NW
300	10/24 N	10/24 N	10/22 NW	11/24 NW	12/27 NW	11/25 NW	14/29 W
Valley	9/24 N	10/26 N	9/24 NW	11/25 NW	11/27 NW	10/25 NW	13/29 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/4	9/5	9/5	8/4	7/2	6/2	6/1
300	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/7	8/6	8/6	8/5
Valley	11/9	11/9	11/9	10/8	9/7	9/7	9/6
Freezing Level*	2400m	2500m	2600m	2400m	2000m	1600m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling cold with north or northwesterly winds and persistent rain today, with some localised flooding likely on access roads and water courses. The wind will gust to gale force over peaks and exposed ridges, especially Sugar Loaf Mountain.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Sat 03 Oct 2020	54.8mm	57.4mm	67mm

Forecast for Sunday 04 Oct 2020

Weather: Persistent rain continuing overnight, then turning more showery in nature during Sunday morning. Through the afternoon and evening further spells of rain or showers, these still heavy at times in the afternoon before becoming lighter and patchier during the evening.

Maximum wind: Westerly 35 mph with gusts 50-55 mph over peaks and ridges.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 10% or less, persistent hill fog through the night and morning period. Cloud bases are likely to be around 4-500m. A few breaks may develop at times through the late afternoon, mainly across southern and eastern areas, but generally it will be a quite dull and murky day.

Visibility: Mainly moderate or poor with a lot of hill fog and light rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9 Celsius rising to 12 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 6 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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